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ORGANIC, WASTE, OR LOW-VALUE  
MATERIALS INTO USEFUL  
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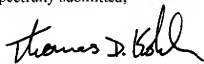
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